

1970

Antelope, Moose, Mountain Goat and Bighorn Sheep Hunting Regulations

MONTANA  
FISH AND GAME DEPARTMENT

HELENA, MONTANA 59601

LICENSES

All aliens must purchase Nonresident Licenses

WILDLIFE CONSERVATION LICENSE (required before any other fish or game license may be purchased)	
Resident 12 or older.....	\$ 0.25
Nonresident.....	1.00
ANTELOPE (issued through drawings)	
Resident.....	3.00
Nonresident (\$151.00 bird, game & fish license--includes conservation license--prerequisite).....	10.00
Nonresident Special (available only where indicated).....	35.00
MOOSE (issued through drawings)	
Resident.....	25.00
Nonresident (\$151.00 bird, game & fish license prerequisite).....	50.00
MOUNTAIN GOAT (issued through drawings in most areas)	
Resident.....	15.00
Nonresident (\$151.00 bird, game & fish license prerequisite).....	30.00
BIGHORN SHEEP (issued through drawings in most areas)	
Resident.....	25.00
Nonresident (\$151.00 bird, game & fish license prerequisite).....	50.00

Once a license is issued, it is not refundable except in event of death of license holder.

WAITING PERIOD (Moose, Sheep)

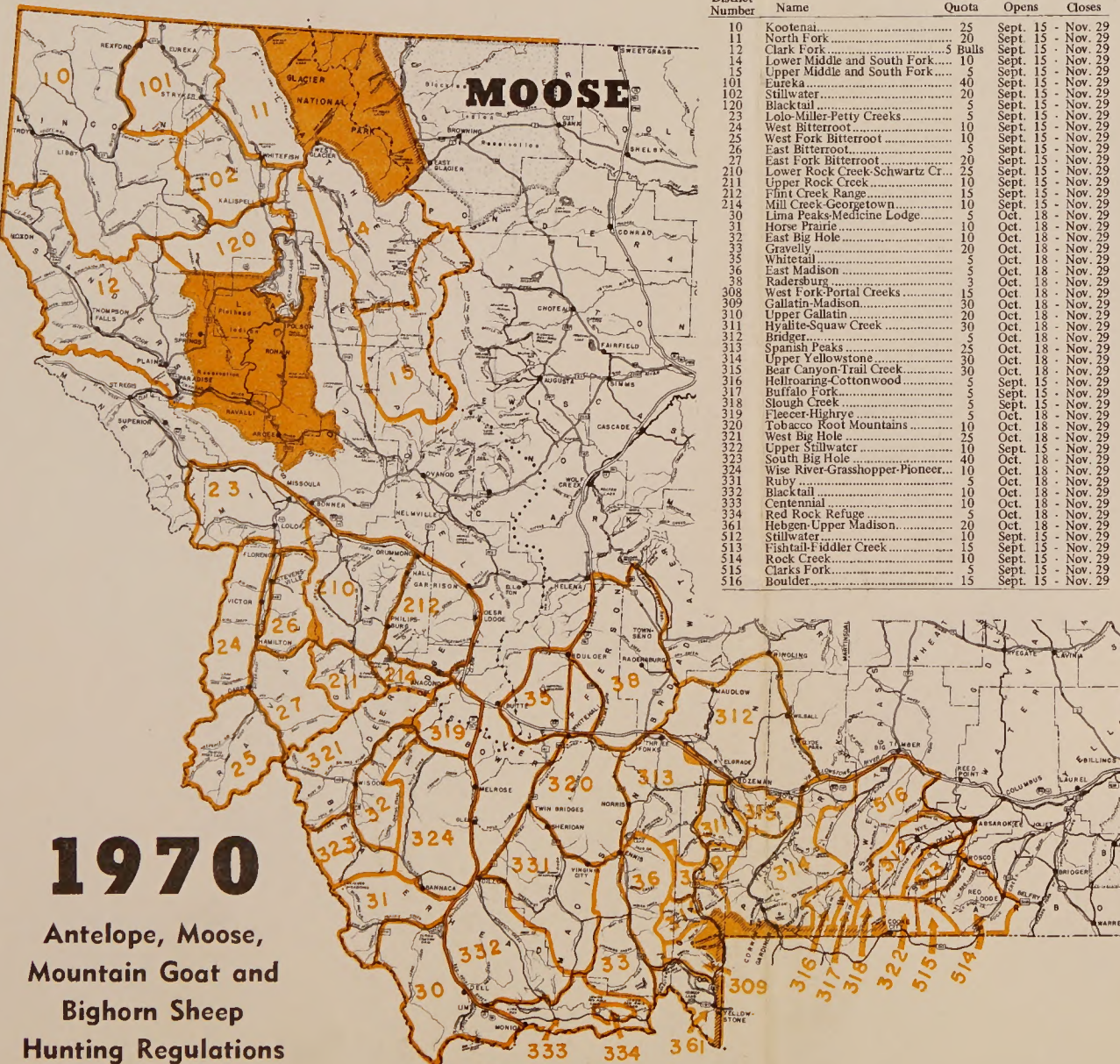
MOOSE AND BIGHORN SHEEP LICENSES: Any person who has killed a moose or bighorn sheep in Montana shall not be eligible to apply for a permit in any limited district for the next succeeding seven years.

Any person who has obtained a moose or bighorn sheep license but did not take an animal for which such license was issued, shall be eligible to apply for another license in any succeeding year if he returns his unused license and required fee to the Fish and Game Commission at the time application is made.

\$35.00 ANTELOPE LICENSES

Applications for \$35.00 Antelope Licenses must have a postoffice cancellation date on or before July 1, 1970 to be entered in drawings. Any \$35.00 licenses remaining after drawings will be issued on a first come-first served basis until quotas are filled.

CLOSED TO HUNTING FOR ANTELOPE, MOOSE, BIGHORN SHEEP AND MOUNTAIN GOAT



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MAKING APPLICATION

It is prohibited to submit more than one application for any game license. Applications must be made on forms available from license agents or offices of the Fish and Game Department. Applications for sheep, moose, goats and antelope in quota districts must have a postoffice cancellation date on or before July 1, 1970. A public drawing will be held at Helena, in early August, to determine successful applicants. Licenses will be mailed as soon as possible after drawings. License fees must accompany all applications. Antelope applicants who did not hold an antelope license in 1969 will be given preference in the 1970 antelope drawings.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

By order of the Montana Fish and Game Commission, the seasons, limits, and regulations listed on this map shall govern the 1970 antelope, mountain goat, bighorn sheep and moose seasons. State Fish and Game Commission Frank H. Dunkle, Secretary December 11, 1969

Hunting Hours

The Montana Fish and Game Commission has adopted and published Sunrise-Sunset Tables for determining hunting hours, (revised, 1965). These tables are based on Mountain Standard Time. During periods that Daylight Saving Time is in effect, one (1) hour should be added to time indicated in the tables in order to determine proper hunting hours. Open season for hunting shall be one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise until one-half (1/2) hour after sunset on each day as indicated by dates for each game district and Sunrise-Sunset Tables.

Caliber

There are no caliber limitations. It is prohibited to use any poisonous, explosive or deleterious substances on or in any arrowhead, bullet or projectile.

Closed Areas

The entire state shall be closed to the hunting of all big game animals except as specified under the numbered district regulations. To insure a proper harvest of game, seasons may be closed on two days' notice or if necessary may be reopened. All State Game Preserves and State Parks shall be closed to hunting unless otherwise specified in State Park Regulations.

Game Tags

Immediately after killing a game animal you must properly tag the game animal as directed on the tags.

Guide Law

It is unlawful for any nonresident to hunt big game animals in Montana unless he is accompanied by a resident licensed to hunt game animals; provided that a nonresident need not be accompanied when hunting deer in some designated deer districts or antelope in some designated antelope districts.

Unlawful To:

- hunt or take any game animal without having a valid license on your person;
- transfer your license or use any license or tag issued to another person;
- shoot game animals on or from any public highway;
- shoot or attempt to shoot game animals with the aid of artificial light;
- hunt big game animals without wearing as an exterior garment, a cap or hat, shirt, jacket, coat or sweater of a bright red, orange or yellow color;
- shoot game animals or birds from an automobile or other self-propelled vehicle;
- for persons under twelve (12) years of age to purchase big game hunting licenses and hunt game animals;
- to use firearms in any manner in the hunting and/or killing of any game animal during an archery season;
- to hunt any game animals or game birds or to carry or discharge any firearms or create any other unlawful disturbance in any legislative or Fish and Game Commission created game preserve;
- to purchase more than one of the same kind of game licenses during one license year.
- Unless you have permission, it is a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment or both to hunt on the enclosed land of another or to destroy any fence or other enclosure for the purpose of entering on the land of another.

MOOSE

Limit: One either sex moose, except in area 12 which is one (1) bull. License is valid only in district specified on License.

Hunting District Number	Name	Tentative Quota	Opens	Closes
10	Kootenai	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
11	North Fork	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
12	Clark Fork	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
13	Lower South and Middle Fork	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
14	Upper Middle and South Fork	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
101	Elk	40	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
102	Stillwater	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
120	Blacktail	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
23	Lolo-Miller-Petty Creeks	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
25	West Fork Bitterroot	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
26	East Bitterroot	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
27	East Fork Bitterroot	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
210	Lower Rock Creek-Schwartz Cr.	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
211	Upper Rock Creek	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
212	Flint Creek Range	15	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
213	Mill Creek-Georgetown	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
214	Lima Peaks-Medicine Lodge	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
31	Horse Prairie	10	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
32	East Big Hole	20	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
33	Gravelly	20	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
34	Whitehall	5	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
36	East Madison	5	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
308	Radersburg	15	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
309	West Fork-Portals Creeks	15	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
310	Gallatin-Madison	30	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
311	Upper Gallatin	20	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
312	Hyalite-Squaw Creek	30	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
313	Bridge	25	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
314	Spanish Peaks	25	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
315	Upper Yellowstone	30	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
316	Bear Canyon-Trail Creek	20	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
317	Hellroaring-Cottonwood	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
318	Buffalo Fork	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
319	Slough Creek	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
320	Fleecer-Highway	10	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
321	Tobacco Root Mountains	10	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
322	West Big Hole	25	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
323	Upper Stillwater	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
324	South Big Hole	40	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
325	Wise River-Grasshopper-Pioneer	10	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
326	Ruby	5	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
327	Blacktail	10	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
328	Centennial	10	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
329	Red Rock Refuge	5	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
330	Hogbin-Upper Madison	20	Oct. 18	Nov. 29
331	Stillwater	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
332	Fishtail-Hidder Creek	15	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
333	Rock Creek	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
334	Clarks Fork	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
335	Boulder	15	Sept. 15	Nov. 29

ANTELOPE

Limit: One either sex. License valid only in districts specified on the license. We suggest that your chances of drawing an antelope permit will be greater if your second and third choices are for antelope districts beginning with the number 7.

Hunting District Number	Opens	Closes	Tentative Quota	Opens	Closes
215	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	25	0	Yes
30	Sept. 19	Nov. 8	400	0	Yes
31	Sept. 19	Nov. 8	350	0	Yes
32	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	20	0	Yes
33	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	500	0	Yes
34	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	60	0	Yes
36	Sept. 19	Oct. 4	250	0	Yes
38	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	10	0	Yes
301	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	1000	0	Yes
311	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	100	0	Yes
320	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	75	0	Yes
339	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	0	Yes
340	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	75	0	Yes
350	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	30	0	Yes
370	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	100	0	Yes
400	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	300	0	No
401	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	250	0	No
410	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	60	0	No
420	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	200	0	No
430	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	90	0	No
440	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	325	0	No
450	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	200	0	Yes
470	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	550	0	No
480	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	900	0	No
481	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	500	0	No
490	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	500	0	No
50	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	200	0	No
51	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	500	0	No
53	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	300	0	No
54	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	0	No
55	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	100	0	No
56	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	500	0	No
57	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	800	0	No
59	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	400	0	No
510	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	300	0	No
511	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	100	0	No
512	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	75	0	No
513	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	450	0	No
61	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	200	0	No
62	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	400	0	No
63	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	50	0	No
64	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	75	0	No
65	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	700	0	No
66	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	900	0	No
67	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	400	0	No
68	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	25	0	No
69	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	200	0	No
70	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	250	0	No
71	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	550	450	No
72	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	1700	200	No
73	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	140	60	No
74	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	1350	350	No
75	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	25	No
76	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	100	0	No
77	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	350	100	No
78	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	250	200	No
79	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	125	75	No
710	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	100	No
720	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	50	0	No
721	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	50	No
731	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	700	200	No
740	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	50	No
741	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	350	100	No
742	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	250	50	No
760	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	150	50	No
770	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	175	75	No
781	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	175	325	No
790	Oct. 11	Nov. 8	200	150	No

ANTELOPE ARCHERY SEASON REGULATIONS

All antelope hunting districts shall be open to archery hunting for antelope from September 20, 1970 to the opening date of the firearm season on antelope.

During the special archery season each hunter, including \$35.00 antelope license holders, must possess an archery stamp in addition to an antelope license. The archery stamp must be validated with the license holder's signature.

During special archery seasons only long bows and arrows may be used.

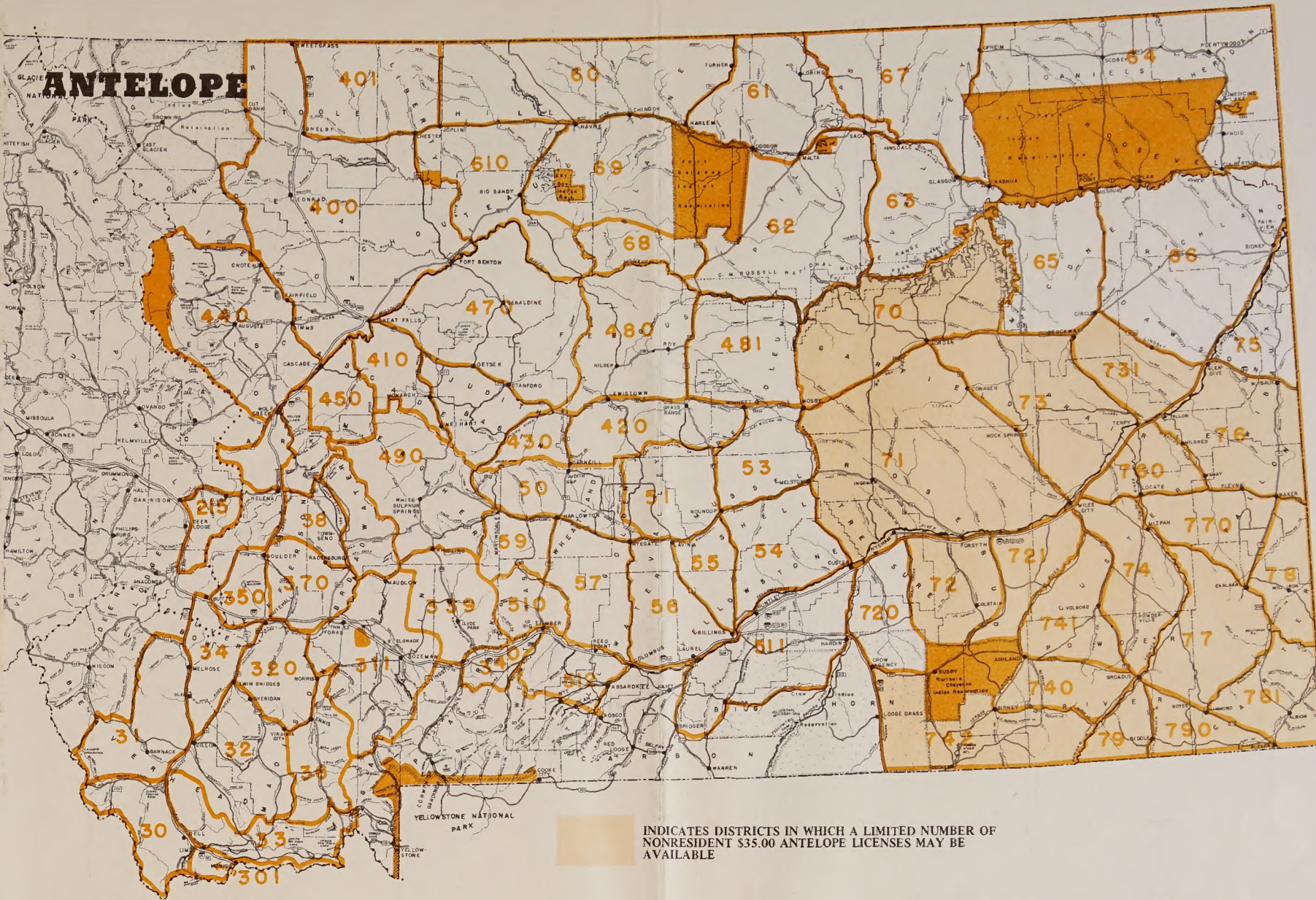


MOUNTAIN GOAT

MOUNTAIN GOATS

Limit: One either sex. Limited license valid only in specified district. No goat licenses may be purchased for area 15 after September 14.

Hunting District Number	Name	Tentative Quota	Opens	Closes
10	Kootenai	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
12	Clark Fork	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
13	Swan	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
14	Lower South and Middle Fork	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
15	Upper South and Middle Fork	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
16	Mission Mountains	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
24	West Bitterroot	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
25	West Fork Bitterroot	25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
27	East Fork Bitterroot	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
210	Rattlesnake-West Clearwater	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
211	North Flint Creek Range	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
212	Pintail	45	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
213	Sapphire Range	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
280	North Blackfoot	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
310	Pioneer	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
311	Crazy Mountains	40	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
312	Tobacco Root Mountains	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
321	Medicine Lodge-Big Sheep	15	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
322	South Big Hole	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
323	Yellowstone-Boulder	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
324	Spanish Peaks	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
325	Halgard	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
414	Burch Creek	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
431	Sleeping Giant	10	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
451	Gates of the Mountains	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
514	Rock Creek	20	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
515	Boulder-Stillwater	5	Sept. 15	Nov. 29



INDICATES DISTRICTS IN WHICH A LIMITED NUMBER OF NONRESIDENT \$35.00 ANTELOPE LICENSES MAY BE AVAILABLE

BIGHORN SHEEP

Limit: One bighorn sheep ram with at least 3/4 curl horn unless otherwise specified in the district regulations. "Limited" license valid only in district specified on license. "Unlimited" licenses are valid in any unlimited bighorn sheep district. No bighorn sheep licenses may be purchased for areas 301 or 501 after September 7.

Hunting District Number	Name	Tentative Quota	Opens	Closes
10 & 101	Kootenai-Eureka	5 3/4-Curl Rams	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
12	Clark Fork	3 3/4-Curl Rams	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
25	West Fork Bitterroot	5 Either Sex	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
34	Highlands	5 Either Sex	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
301	Madison-Gallatin	Unlimited 3/4	Sept. 8	Nov. 1
42	Absoroka	60 3/4-Curl Rams	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
482	Sun River	5 3/4-Curl Rams	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
501	Armelis Creek	Unlimited 3/4	Sept. 15	Nov. 29
760	Blue Mountains	2 3/4-Curl Rams	Nov. 7	Nov. 29

Applicants for Districts 301 and 501 are advised these areas are high, rugged and difficult to hunt. As a result success has been very low. Unlimited bighorn sheep licenses are valid for Districts 301 and 501.



BIGHORN SHEEP



